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SAIPPING.	BANKS	AUCTIONS.	AUCTIONS.	INTIMATIONS.	NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.	INTIMATIONS.
ARRIVALS. ch 22, Orion, Austrian steamer, 1,814,	ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION. (INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER).	VALUABLE LEASEHOLD	PUBLIC AUCTION OF ENGLISH AND AMERICAN-MADE	LUZON SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED.	AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'SSTEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.	THEATRE ROYAL,
G. Maharsich, Triesto 1st February, and Singapore 16th March, General.	PAID-UP CAPITAL £1,500,000.	PROPERTIES, Situate at Victoria, Hongkong.	HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, OIL PAINTING. PICTURES,	NOTICE.	FROM TRIESTE, BOMBAY; COLOMBO,	CITY HALL. UNDER DISTINGUISHED PATRONAGE
MELCHEES & Co. ch 23, MIRAMAR, British steamer, 980, E. Duggan, Saigon 19th March, Rice.—	LONDON BANKERS: BANK OF ENGLAND.	TO BE SOLD ON MONDAY, TUESDAY, and WEDNESDAY,	GLASSWARE, PIANO, Ac., &c., &c.	L MEETING or SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the Office of	PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.	TUESDAY, 3rd April.
Russuat & Co. ch 23, Woosung, British steamor, 1,109,	Union Bank of London, Limited. Bank of Scotland, London.	the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th of April, 1883.	from A. Smith, Esq., to Sell by Public	27th instant, to receive a Statement of the	having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods.	THE OFFICERS OF "THE BUFF Assisted by LADY AMATEURS,
A. Hunt, Saigon 18th March, Rice.— BUTTERFIELD & SWIEE.	ON DEPOSITS:	LYL structions from the Montgages, will	WEDNESDAY, the 28th Morch, 1883, at 2 P.M., at his Residence, "West Villa," Pokfulum Road, immediate-	Accounts of the Company to 31st December,	with the exception of Opium, are being landed	WILL PLAY
Westoby, Foochow 20th March, Amoy 21st, and Swatow 22ad, General.—	At 12 Months' Notice, 5 per Cent. per Annum.	VALUABLE PIECES OF GROUND Situate at Victoria, Hongkong, on the follow-	ly un or "Fairlea,"—	Auditors. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company	Consigness wishing to receive their Goods on	A LESSON IN LOVE.
Douglas Laprain & Co. ch 24, Fano, Danish brig, 227, Mor-	be learnt on application.	ing days, on MONDAY, the 2nd of April, 1883, at 3 P.M.,	HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., Comprising:— English-MADE WALNUT SILK CRE-	will be CLOSED from the 13th to 27th instant, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,	have left the Godowns, and all claims must be sent in to the undersigned before Noon, on the	Capt. FreemanCapt. Newnman D.
lensen, Whampon 23rd March, General. —Ed. Schellhass & Co. ch 23. Villars, French cruiser, from a	HONGKONG & SHANGHAT BANKING CORPORATION.	Lot No. 1.—All that piece of GROUND measur- ing North 34 feet 9 inches, South 29 feet 9 inches, East 83 feet 9 inches, and West, 68	SUITE AT NOT THE ATT	General Agents. Hongkong, 10th March, 1883. [507	27th instant, or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any goods remaining in the Godowns after the 27th	Mrs. SutherlandMrs. Bernard
AMINIO	PAID-UP CAPITAL 5,000,000 of Dollars. RESERVE FUND 2,500,000 of Dollars.	feet, on which is created the Substantial HOUSE No. 164, Queen's Road Central,	TABLES, LADY'S DAVENPORT and WORK, TABLE, ENGLISH-MADE MAHOGANY	LIMITED.	instant, will be subject to rent. Bills of Lading will be Countersigned by	Miss Anastasia Mrs. Chervau. Winterberry
E. Cocker, Commander, Swatow 22nd March.	Court of Directors : Chairman—WM. Reiners, Esq.	\$39.22. This Lot is sold subject to an existing Lease thereof for a period of ten years	GILT-FRAMED THIMNEY GLASSES, OIL	NOTICE TO SHAREHOUDERS.	MELCHERS & Co., Agents, Hongkong, 24th March, 1883. (559)	The String Band of the Regiment will between the Acts.
ch 23, Hecht, German 3-m. sch., 358, W. Plaetz, Ilailo 9th March, Sapanwood. —Stemssen & Co.	H. Hoppins, Esq. F. D. Sassoon, Esq.	computed from the 1st of December, 1880. Lot No. 2.—All that piece of GROUND mea-	PAINTINGS, CHROMOS, Coloured PIC-	of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Com-	NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.	The Proceeds of this Performance wi
ch 23, Lorse, British steamer, 1,034, Wm. Hunter, Singapore 16th March,	CHIEF MANAGEB.	89 feet, and West 83 feet 9 inches, on which is erected the Substantial HOUSE No. 162.	TABLE, SIDEBOARD with PLATE GLASS, BACK, and WHATNOTS, VIENNA-MADE	1883, at THREE O'CLOCK, for the purpose of	FROM KOBE AND NAGASAKI.	Stalls and Dress Circle, \$2: Pit, \$1. Doors open at 8.30 to commence at 9.
General.—Bun Hin & Co. oh 24, Tanais, French steamer, 1,750,	Shanahai Trues Carenzon Rea	Lot No. 3.—All that piece of GROUND mea-	DINING ROOM CHAIRS, DINNER, BREAKFAST and COFFEE SETS. GLASS- WARE ENGLISH-MADE MAHOGANY	receiving the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December.	CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Vessel are hereby requested to send in their Bills	Tickets can be obtained at Messrs. KEL WALSH's, Commencing at S A.M., TO-MOR
Drujon, Yokoliama 17th March, Mails and General.—Messagenies Mari-	Tarrow Barrenne Tarrow & Course Barr	6 inches, East 90 feet, and West 89 feet, on which is elected the Substantial HOUSE	GLASS BOOK CASE, BOOKS, Double and Single IRON and BRASS BED.	The TRANSFER BOOKS will be CLOSED from the 20th to 27th instant, both days	of Lading for Countersignature, and to take im- mediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.	GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.
h 24, Picciola, German steamer, 875, T. Nissen, Saigon 18th March, Rice.—	On Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent, per Annum on the daily balance.	Rent 319.61. **	GANY, WARDROBE, CHEVAL GLASS, MARBLE TOP WASHSTAND and		Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after TUESDAY, the 27th March, 1883, will be lauded and stored at Consignees'	FEENDERS for the REPAIRS of the
VIELER & Co. 1 24, ESMERALDA, British steamer, 395,	For 2 months 2 mon Cant may A party	suring North 15 feet 6 inches, South 14 feet 6 inches, East 90 feet. West 90 feet	BUREAU with GLASS, English-made, WRITING MAHOGANY TABLE, English-	Acting Secretary. Hongkong, 13th March, 1883. 525	expense and risk. No Fire Insurance will be effected.	will be received at the Office of the Understill TO-DAY, the 26th instant, at Noon.
l. Wright, Manila 21st March, Gene- al.—Russell & Co.	For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum. Local Bills Discounted.		and MOROCCO-COVERED BEDROOM SUITES, &c., &c.	NORTH CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY.	Mitan Right Mail Stanmahin Co.	For Particulars apply to Captain on boat at the Office of the Undersigned, who bind themselves to accept the lowest of
total management of the contract of the contra	CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.	On TUESDAY, the 3rd of April, at 3 P.W.	One DOUBLE JINRICKSHA, One PERAM.	ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDERS will be held at		Tender. SIEMSSEN &
94 Harry way Chinese str 984	DRAFTS granted on London, and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia,	Lot No. 1.—All that piece of GROUND measuring North 14 feet 9 inches. South 14	RANGE, One NURSERY STOVE, One WASHING WRINGING and MANGLING	DAY, the 29th of March, 1883, at 2.30 P.M.,	SINGAPORE.	Hongkong, 26th March, 1883.
-C. M. S. N. Co. 24, IRAOUADDY, French str., 3,765,	America, China and Japan. T. JACKSON, Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation,	feet, East 86 feet, and West 90 feet, or which is erected the HOUSE No. 180 Wellington Street. Crown Rent \$19.61.	MACHINE. Oue THURSTON'S PARLOUR BILLIARD TABLE. Complete.	when the following Special Resolutions will be proposed. 1.—That the Company be wound up and dis-	Captain Schultz, having arrived from the above Ports. Consigness of Cargo are hereby informed	COMPANY LIMITED
asqualini, Shanghai 22nd March, Isils and General.—Messaceers Ma-	No. 1, Queen's Road East,	Lot Not 2.—All that piece of GROUND measuring North 16 feet 9 inches, South 15 by 8 feet 6 inches, East 21 feet 6 inches by	One Semi-Grand PIANO, by Rachals	solved for the purpose of constituting a	that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Under-	MR. BULLARD is appointed to
171MES. 24, NAM-VIAN, French steamer, 420, arceau, Hoihow 23rd March, General.	NOTICES OF FIRMS.	60 feet 6 inches, and West 86 feet, or which is erected the HOUSE No. 178	Catalogues will be issued and the whole to be on view on and after Tuesday the 27th inst.	shall be registered in England under the Companies Acts 1862 to 1880 as a Com-	Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless	TO-DAY. By Order,
-Shing Loong. 24. Francisco Reves, Spanish str.,	NOTICE.	Wellington Street. Crown Rent S19.61 This Lot is sold subject to a right of way to the occupiers of the neighbouring	TERMS OF SALE.—As Customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG,	pany with liability limited by Shares. 2.—That the Court of Directors be authorised	notice to the contrary be given before NOON, TO-DAY, the 19th instant.	J. ENSTON SQU. Superintenden
17. A. de Gardoqui, Manila 21st Mar., allast.—Renedios & Co.	IN Future all LETTERS in connection with the Taku Tug and Lighter Company are requested to be addressed to the Undersigned.	Houses on Inland Lot No. 8, through over and upon a Lane or passage (to a height o	Hongkong, 20th March, 1883. [575	to sell and dispose of the Property, Assets and Business of the Company on such terms and conditions as they may consider desir.	instant, will be subject to rept. No Fire Insurance has been effected.	LOST.
chroder, Ileilo 8th March, Wood.—	JAMES WATTS.	10 feet) and which passage is situated at the South East boundaries of the said Lo and is 21 feet 6 inches long by 8 feet 6	PUBLIC AUCTION.	able and to enter into and execute all such agreements and contracts and to do al	Bills of Lading will be countersigned by SIEMSSEN & Co.,	TWENTY FIVE DOLLARS REW
remssen & Co. 25, Phonix, German bark, 683, M. L. Diewitz, Hamburg 21st Sept., Gene-	NOTICE	inches broad. On WEDNESDAY.	Public Auction, at his Residence, No. 24, Elgin Street, on	necessary or desirable for carrying into	Hongkong, 19th March, 1883. 1568	Carvel Built WHALE BOAT, Pointed
al.—Meloners & Co. 25, Holhow, British steamer, 896, O.	TATE have authorised Mr. FRIEDRICH	the 4th of April, at 3 P.M. Lot No. 1.—All that piece of GROUND mea	THURSDAY, the 29th March, 1883, at 2 P.M.,	3.—That until the above resolutions have been carried into effect and the property Associand business have been transferred to and	CONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading	10tter K in Bins on each bow.
illikirk, R.N.R., Saigon 20th March, eneral.—Butter meth & Swine.	Firm from this date. F. BLACKHEAD & Co.	6 inches, East 42 feet 6 inches and Wes 60 feet 6 inches on which piece of Ground	THE WHOLE OF HIS LE HOUSE HOLD FURNITURE,	vested in the New Company the present Deed of Settlement and all the terms and	take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been	FOR SHANGHAL
25, Ningro, British steamer, 761, Cass, Shanghai 22nd March, Gene-	Hongkong, 1st March, 1883. [516] NOTICE.	are creeted the three Substantial HOUSES or TENEMENTS known as Nos. 172, 174	S DRAWING, DINING, and BED ROOM 1, SUITES.	previsions thereof shall have full force and effect. By Order of the Court of Directors,	No Fire Insurance has been effected: Ex "IRAOVADDY,"	THE Steamship "AMOY."
d.—Siemssen & Co. 25, Hector, British steamer, 1,589, Billinge, Liverpool 1st Feb., and) "m" Thirty TT (374 YRA" YNTD) T CAT, TAYYOR THAN YOU WANT AND A	and 176, Wellington Street. Crown Ren \$12.00. The said Lot is sold subject to right of way (to a height of 15 feet) to th	a J. M. GUEDES,	HERBERT S. MORRIS, Secretary	S. B. Lewis, I Case. Ex "Perno." A L No. 118.—1 Case Books, Dr. Emil Rie-	Captain C. Herrmann, will be despated the above Port TO-DAY, the 26th ins
ingapore 18th Maich, General.—Bur-		o'cupiers of the neighbouring Houses of Inland Lot No. 8, through over and upon	h Hongkong, 22nd March, 1883 [589]	Shanghai, 26th February, 1888. [43] THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE	beck, from London. G. DE CHAMPEAUX.	Two P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN
25, Kumanoro Maru, Japanese str., 913, Drummond, Kobe and Nagesaki	PLE being authorized to sign "In Liquidation in Hongkong."	running along the whole of Western boundary of the said Lot.	THE Undersigned has received instructions from W. Glenge, Esq., to Sell by Public	ስለ በተመሰው ለማስፈርስ እና እና እና እና አለም እምሌ መጠማው <i>እና ጊዜ ምርት እና ነገር ነገር ነገር ነር ላይ ነገር የሚ</i> ሰር ነገር ነገር ነገር ነገር ነገር ነገር ነገር ነ	A STATE OF THE PARTY OF THE PAR	Hongkong, 26th March, 1883. INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGA'
4th March, General.—M. B. M. S. S.	1st March, 1883. [431	Lot No. 2.—All that piece of GROUND measuring on the North 14 feet 8 inches	Anetion, at his Residence, No. 129, Spring Gardens (Queen's Road East), on	of the Henckone Fire Theorems Company	BANKING CORPORATION.	COMPANY, LIMITED.
nann. Canton 25th March, General	MR. KENNETH DOUGLAS ADAMS and Mr. JAMES LYON PLAYFAIR SANDERSON are this day admitted Partners	South 4 feet 9 inches, East 50 feet 9 inches and West 37 feet 6 inches, on which i erected the HOUSE No. 170, Wellingto	the 30th day of March, 1883, at 2 P.M.	Hongkong, on FRIDAY, the 30th day of March, 1883, at Noon, when the subjoint	e, FIRST CALL of £10 Storling per Share on the 20,000 SHARES NEW ISSUE, of this Corporation, will fall due on the	((Lakin'i Cargo and Lassangers at oncor)
h 25, HAINAN, British steamer, 290, J. A. Connor, Hollow 23rd March,	in our firms at Canton and Foodhow. BIRLEY & Co.	Street, Crown Rent \$12.00. Let No. 3.—All that piece of GROUND men	HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE Consisting of:	Resolution will be proposed. RESOLUTION.	31st March Current, in London, Calcutta, Bombay, Shanghai, and Hongkong.	Kow and Ports on the YANGTSZE
General.—Arong.	MAR HENRY LISTON DALRYMPLE	suring North 14 feet 9 inches, South 1 feet 9 inches, East 50 feet 5 inches on West 50 feet 9 inches, on which is erected	II STITES	Commence and do some to form nortion (is ber, 1882, outitled to NEW SHARES, are re-	"FOOKSANG," Cantain Hogg, will be despatched a
J. R. LAMMERT.	& Co. here and has commenced business under the style of	the HOUSE No. 168, Wellington Stree Grown Rent \$12.00.	Also, Complete OUTFITS for PHOTOGRAPHERS	the Articles of this Company from the 14th day of April, 1883, and that the following	h above Call or its equivalent in the currency of the above mentioned places.	For Freight or Passage, apply to
h 25, Prisonta, British bark, 767, B. Young, Newcastle (N.S.W.) 8th Jan., Coal.—Ed. Schellhass & Co.		Lot No. 4.—All that pleas of GROUND measuring North 14 feet 6 inches, South 14 feet 10 inches, East 49 feet 1 inch and West	et Mayler, and Elliot. St Terms.—Cash	do form portion of the Articles of Association of the Company from the last men	a- at 3/7f per Dollar or \$55.02 per Stare. Interest at the rate of 7 % per annum will be	General Managers
h 25, Benlabig, British str., 1,482, J.	NOTIOE. THE Undersigned having been Granted	50 feet 5 inches, on which is erected the HOUSE No. 166, Wellington Street Crown Rent \$12.00.	J. M. GUEDES, Auctioneer.	tioned day and be numbered 30. 30.—That the Company may with the Sanctio of a Special Resolution previously given i	n By Order of the Court of Directors.	FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOO
LIVINGSTONE & Co. h 25, Fooksang, British stenner, 990,	of the late JOHN NOBLE will sign all receipts	Lot No. 5.—All that pince of GROUND mos suring North 15 feet, South 15 feet, East	8t PUBLIC AUCTION.	Meeting sub-divide the existing Shares of the Company into Shares of such amount	Chief Manager.	8 "NAMOA," Captain Westoby, will be despatched
Hogg, Canton 25th Murch, General.— JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.	Hougkong, 13th December, 1882. [45]	48 feet 10 inches, and West 49 feet 1 inc on which is erected the HOUSE No. 16 Welling ton Street. Crown Rent \$12.00.	from J. E. Squier, Esq., to Sell b	as the Meeting shall direct. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managors.	HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.	above Ports TO-MORROW, the 27th at NOON.
CLEAKANCES. THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE.	NOTICE.	Lot No. 6.—All that piece of GROUND me suring North 14 feet 10 inches, South 1	14 the Plat Monch 1992 of 9 p.m. of his	Hongkong, dated the 8th day of March, 188	94	For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK Hongkong, 24th March, 1883.
Magon 24TH. lation, British str., for Bangkok. , German ship, for Cebu.	THOMAS GITTINS, Junior, will be admitted a Partner in our Firm.	feet 10 inches, East 48 feet 7 inches, at West 48 feet 10 inches, on which is erack the HOUSE No. 162, Wellington Street	ed Residence, "Woodland" West. THE WHOLE OF HIS	CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY LIMITED:	Y. ON the 5th Instant and during the conpletion of the new BANK BUILDINGS, the Business of the Corporation will be carried or	FOR AMOY, TAIWANFOO, AND T.
British str., for Swatow.	JOHN GITTING & Co. The Firm will consist of Mr. JOHN GIT-	Crown Rent \$12.00. Lot No. 7.—All that piece of GROUND me	Comprising:	DATE:	A in the Premises lately occupied by the Penit or sular and Oriental Steam Navigation Compan	"HAILOONG."
na, German str., for Saigon. ung, British str., for Saigon.	TINS, Mr. HESILRIGE JOHN JOHN. STONE CHAMBERS, and Mr. THOMAS GITTINS; Junior.	feet 10 inches, East 48 feet 3 inches, at West 48 feet 7 inches, on which is erect	ROOM SUITE. ENGLISH MADE MARBLE TOP ROUN	D HOLDERS will be held at the Company Office, No. 7, Queen's Road Central at Twell	Chief Manager.	Captain F. Ashton, will be despatched above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 2
nar, British str., for Saigon. DEPARTURES.	Fonchow, 1st Japuary, 1883. [109	the HOUSE No. 160, Wellington Street Crown Rent \$12.00. Lot No. 8.—All that piece of GROUND mo	TOP SIDE-TABLE, TEAKWOOD WHAT	ed at the Extraordinary Meeting of Shar	HONGKONG AND SHANGHAL	at Four P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK
h 23, Chinelano, British steamer, for		suring on the North 14 feet 10 inches, Son 14 feet 10 inches, East 48 feet, and West	CHROMOS, and HEARTH RUGS. SIDE TABLE, DINNER, DESSERT and ASSWARE at ASSWARE at	helders of the Company held on SATURDAY, to	NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.	Hongkong, 26th March, 1883. FOR MANILA AND CEBI
h 23, China, German steamer, for Swatow.	PETURN PASSAGES are now GRANT. ED by this Company between HONG- KONG and NAPLES or MARSEILLES at	feet 3 inches, on which is erected to HOUSE No. 158, Wellington Street	et. DOUBLE TRON and WOODEN BEI	General Agents. Honokong 19th March 1883	71 HE DIVIDEND declared for the ha	lf THE Steamship
Saigon.	the following rates, available for re-embarkment	Lot No. 9.—All that piece of GROUND me suring North 11 feet 10 inches, South	STEADS, SINGLE BRASS BEDSTEAD 14 CHILD'S COT, LADY'S Double Wing 14 WARDRORE CHEVAL GLASS, TOILE	THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.	rate of £2 Sterling together with a Bonus 10/ per Share of \$125 is PAYABLE on and aft WEDNESDAY the 28th February, at the	of Captain Tremoya, will be despatched above Ports on THURSDAY, the 29th
i 23, P. D. Grosse, Russian steamer, or Amov. i 23, Marchesa, British steam 7acht,	1st Class, 2nd Class. 3rd Class. 6 Months)	HOUSE No. 156, Wellington Street	DAVINFORT. CHEST OF DRAWER	5,]	A Offices of the Corporation, where SHAREHOLDE!	AB at FOUR P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to DUNN, MELBYR
or Bornso, &c. h 24, Electra, German steamer, for	of arrival	Crown Reut \$12.00. Let No. 10.—All that piece of GROUND me	A SEMI-GRAND PIANO, by J. Broat	of the Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Officer	By Order of the Court of Directors, T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.	Hongkong, 24th March, 1883.
Baigon. h 24, Sea Ripple, British schooner,	afterdate 5 5000. 5000.	West 47 feet 9 inches, on which is erect	&c., &c., &c., &c., &c., &c., &c., &c.,	Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 14th day April, 1883, at 12.15 in the AFTERNOON, wh the Subjoined Resolution will be proposed.	Of Handham 99th Robinson 1993	BANK HOLLIDAT.
or Singapore. n 24, Ashington, British steamer, for kipon.	Hongkong, 23rd February, 1883. [376	the HOUSE No. 154, Wellington Stre Crown Rent \$12.00. Lot No. 11.—All that piece of GROUND me	J. M. ARMSTRONG,	RESOLUTION. That each of the existing Shares of the Copany be divided into four Shares of \$2.000.	m. COMPANY, LIMITED.	1875, the Undermentioned Bank CLOSED for the Transaction of Pul ness, THIS DAY, EASTER MON
Swatow and Shanghai.	PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.	suring North 14 feet 1 inch, South 14 fe 8 inches, East 47 feet 2 inches, and We	est	npon each of which the sum of \$50 shall credited as paid up.	DONTRIBUTING SHAREHOLDER	28 For the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORA
h 24, Thales, British str., for Swatow h 24, Feilung, British steamer, for		Grown Rent \$12.00.	est. SELECTED LIST OF WORKS OF REFERENCE.	General Mausgers.	Business Contributed during the half, ye ended December Slat, 1882, on or before Max	MACKENZ Manager, Hor oh Estate Chapter Mercantile
Bangkok. h 24, Ping-on, British str., for Amoy. h 25. Consolation. British steamer		Lot No. 12.—All that piece of GROUND me	ea- Roger's Thesaurus of English Words. ch. Brower's Dictionary of Phrase and Fable. two Edwards' Words, Facts and Phrases.—A Di		31st next, on which date the ACCOUNTS we be CLOSED. By Order of the Board of Directors,	INDIA, LONDON, AND CHIN JOHN THURBU
h 25, Fano, Dauish brig, for Tientsin.		No. 150, Wellington Street. Crown Re	FE tionary of Curious and Quaint Matters. ent Wheder's Familiar Allusious—A Handboom	ok INDO CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION	D. GILLIES Secretary	
h 25, Lorne, British str., for Swatow. h 25. Hwai-yuen, Chinese steamer, for		Lot No. 13.—All that piece of GROUND m	of Miscellineous Information. Wright's Dictionary of Obsolete and Province 23 English.	IN THE ORDER OF THE BOYED OR THERCH	Hongkong, 8th March, 1883. BREWER has just received	WILLIAM FORRES Mannger, Hor
	as the vessels will not call either at MALTA or GIBRALTAR.	feet 4 inches, East 46 feet 6 inches a West 46 feet 10 inches, on which is erec	and Davenport Adams' Dictionary of Engli	pany are hereby notified that under Section of the Articles of Association the FINAL Ca	20 Quantity of New Juvenile BOOK	CORPOBATION, T. JACKSON
PASSENGERS. ABRIVED.	PASSAGE. The rates to Mansettles will be the same	Crown Rent \$12.00. The whole of the above described Lots	Spon's Workshop Receipts for Manufacture are Rochanics and Scientific Amsteurs.	rs, of Thirty Shillings per Share has been mand will be due on 2nd April, 1883.	ade CHIT BOOKS.	For the Comptoir D'Escompte D M. Bi
Namoa, str., from East Coast.—Messra bristy, D. C. Campbell, M. F. A. Frase idle, and Capt. Oatting, and 68 Chinese.	will be granted on similar terms. For Further Particulars as to Freight and	held for the residue of a term of 999 you commonoing the 26th day of June, 1843,	ors Brewer's Reader's Handbook of Allusier and References, Plots and Stories.	make the said payment at 3/7% per do exchange \$8.30 per Share, to the Hongko	ller Mackinnon Pens.	Hongkong, 21st March, 1883.
r Woosung, str., from Suigon,—7 Chinese. r Orion, str., from Trieste, &c.—Mr. W	Superintendent	will be sold subject to existing tenancies a lettings thereof. For Further Particulars and Conditions	The American Hoyle—A Complete Handbo	ok and Shanghai Banking Componation borits Agencies on or before the above named de	ate. New Books.	EMPLOYMENT WANTE
nzen, and 347 Chinese, from Singapore. r Lorne, str., from Singapore.—340 Chinese r Canais, str., from Yokohama.—For Mar	e. Hongkong, 15th March, 1883. [538	Sale, apply to SHARP, TOLLER, & JOHNSON	Burtlett's Familiar Quotations. Hoyt and Lloyd's Cyclopædia of Practic	to a charge for interest at the rate of iv	per FANCY STATIONERY.	BY A TEA INSPECTOR, who years' experience in China and Tra.
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HONGKONG, MARCH 26TH, 1883.

THE Japan Mail of the 3rd instant indulges in some strange vagaries on the subject of the startling increase to crime in this colony | what strange. Another of these gallant captains during Sir John Pope Hennessy's administration. According to our enpient contemporary the fact that the criminal statistics barbarian. increased in the way they did was due not to executive inefficiency, but to the reverse, the writer assuming with the greatest nonchalance that while the convictions grow more numerous crime remained stationary. Unfortunately for the argument, the in- and to use, manufacture, and dispose of the creased number of convictions resulted from the increased volume of crime; this fact vitiates it in toto. It would be easy for rulers to acquire a reputation for Western Electric Company of New York: not been more numerously signed by the Chinese, executive efficiency if it could be obtained by Signatories (with one charceach): - Colonel G. E. such bad government as would increase crime Gourand, Uupper Norwood; W. G. Hall, 13, countries empty gaols and immunity from overflow the better. It is strange how men's judgments may become warped when influences of the mind. The Mail says :-of the country they have chosen to exploit "habitants." Seeing that the Japan Mail is, according to common report, subsidized presented, and this will be competed for by a to support the Japanese Government and de-

interestedness adopted by that fournal

gomewhat amusing. The view Sir John stimulating increased regularity at drill.

POPE HENNESSY takes of the relation between European nations and semi-civilized countries being pretty much the same as day, the 22nd instant. that adopted by the Mail, it is not surprising

that this community of interest should lead

to mutual support. As for the foreigners who

carry their energy and capital to Oriental

foolish as to imagine their primary object was

none the less a fact that their energy and

capital confer incalculable benefits on the

country which, in the words of our Yokohama

contemporary, they have chosen to exploit.

This indisputable fact furnishes a very apt

illustration of the law so well established by

of Ethics, that the highest egoism is the

highest altruism, and the highest altrusim

the highest egoism; that the more one does

good to himself the more good he will do to

others, and that the more good he does to

others the more good be will do to himself.

The equilibrium is to be preserved by reason.

If a man excrifices all he has for the purpose of

doing good to others he will find himself

without the means of doing further good

of selfishness as brought against foreign mer-

chants in Oriental countries is one of the

shallowest and most senseless that can pos-

sibly be preferred. Of course they are sell

foreigner must necessarily mean the im-

to the self-seeking spirit of the despicable

natural that to find fault with it is to run

the risk of being called "visionary, senti-

worse, according to the mood of the moment.

The writer of the article is undoubtedly

gree, and would do well to go through a

course of study of logic, which would pos-

sibly enable him to see facts as they are

instead of as they appear when viewed

through the defective spectacles he is accus-

The French cruiser Villars, Captain Dewatre,

We have to acknowledge the receipt of th

Customs Gazette for the October-December quarter

of 1882, published by the Statistical Department

The Shanghai Meroury says that the Chinese

Telegraph Company have advertised for tenders

for the construction of a land line to Canton,

which city is thus to be connected by wire with

A proclamation appears in Saturday's Gazette

to the effect that the Vehicles and Public Traffic

Ordinance, 1883, shall commence and take effect

According to a table of meteorological observa-

tions taken at the Government Lock Hospital.

arrive here to-day by the steamboat White Cloud.

On Friday evening the attention of people out

of doors was attracted by a strong, clear white

light shining on the walls of houses facing the

harbour, and looking towards the water, a bril

liant display of the electric light was to be seen.

was widely diffused. The display was from the

Early on Saturday morning a weman named

Wony Alin died from the effects of an overdose

of opium in her house in Kung San Lane. She

had suffered bad health for a considerable time.

and had become low spirited, which was no doubt

the cause of her act of self-destruction. An in-

on Saturday afternoon before the Coroner, Mr.

R. Robarts, and A. E. M. da Silva as jury, by

We learn (says the Shanghai Mercury) that a

Chinese gunboat has taken several hundred dis-

banded soldiers recently from Anning, the port

of Taiwanfoo, to the mainland, but that still

large number of discharged soldiers remain in

Formova, and are a regular source of danger and

a nuisance on the island, because they have no

means to live, the Mandarins owing them yet

considerable arrears of pay, -the old story,

We understand the commandant of the gunboat

taking away the last squad of ex-warriors was at

one time the "boy" of one of the foreign re-

sidents at Anning. Now, we consider that a

good, faithful and honest valet de chambre is a

very useful member of society, but still we can-

the commander of a gunboat does look some-

We note by the Electrician that a new com-

scoring. No man who has not attended twelve

over that number will count in the score. It is

18 to be hoped that this will have the effect of

whom a verdict of spicide was returned.

be the guests of Mr. Consul Loureiro.

Duke of Edinburgh.

on and after Monday next, the 2nd proximo.

arrived here on Friday from a cruise.

of the Imperial Maritime Customs.

tomed to use.

Peking.

with the next French mail, left Saigon at midnight on Thursday, and passed Cape St. James at 5 a.m. on Friday, bound for this port.

countries, no one, we presume, would be so with a nump, have been moved to the sunken vessel, and operations will be commenced at once. not the enrichment of themselves. But it is The General Managers (Messes Jardine, Ma-

S. N. Co.'s chartered steamer Lennox, from Calcutta, left Singapore for this port on Friday. The White Cloud has resumed her place on

HERBERT SPENCER, in his work on the data emall but necessary alteration in her machinery. The Hongkong Schools Athletic Sports will be held on the Cricket Ground to-day. They are under the patronage of His Excellency the Administrator, His Excellency El Marques de

good one, and the entries numerous. Attention is invited to the announcement on our front page of a performance at the Theatre Royal on the 3rd proxime by the Officers of the Buffs, assisted by several lady amateurs, of the comedy "A Lesson in Love." The cast is a and lose his control over the direction of the strong one, and a most enjoyable evening may be looked for. The proceeds are to be divided means he previously possessed. This is an

abstract law which may readily be applied to the every day affairs of life. The charge baying been laid from Hongkong to within a opposed it. I regret to have to say a few words few miles of Woosung. The Eastern Extension with regard to the manner in which this The Committee find that a sum of \$2,000 was proand the line will be continued overland to Shangproceed with the laving of the cable, as we learnt to day that although the Fatchou has been chartered to take out the cable, the Customs refuse to give her a permit to go alongside the

Takao a short time ago, when the welcome news | money had been paid some months ago. mental," or possibly something very much mosa becomes more opened to commercial enter- public money, it should be understood we sit prise this place must advance in importance," as | merely to discuss the foregone conclusions of the visionary and sentimental in a very high de-

The Japan Mail says that it is "stated that semi-official news from Berlin announces the extreme improbability of Mr. von Brandt's treaty being ratified by the German Government, a fatal objection to its provisions being that they close the cabotage of Korea to German vessels. A treaty with Korea is really a matter of so little consequence to any of the Great Powers, that any objection, however frivolous, may well suffice to prevent its consummation. Still we find it difficult to credit the German Government with this attitude. Korea cannot be expected to throw open her coast-wise trade to foreign ships so long as nine countries in every ten refuse to be reciprocally liberal, and if Germany declines to enter into treaty relations with her for this reason, the charge of exclusiveness will be shifted from Korean shoulders to those of the

We have received the second number of The Chry. santhemum magazine. Its contents are more varied. than those of the first numbers. Amongst other contributions are the second chapter of Captair Brinkley's "History of Japanese Keramics" a translation from the German by Mr. C. S. Eby of an article by Dr. Adolf Groth on "Higher and published in Saturday's Gazetie, only 0.12 Education in Japan ", "The Aine Language," inch of rain fell in February as compared with by Mr. J. M. Dixon; Ornithological Notes, by 0.76 inch in the corresponding month of last Mr.T.W. Blakiston; "Muditations of a Recluse, a translation from a Japanese work by Mr. Eby: "Notes on Some Ancient Caves near Osaka." b His Excellency the Governor of Macao and | the Rev. J. Summers, &c. Captain Brinkley also Senhora da Graça have taken passage for Europe gives the second chapter of his interesting story The House of Kuroda." There are likewise, it

the presentisene, a number of interesting notices During their brief stay in this Colony they will of Recent Literature. Altogether, the Chry santhemum gives every promise of a vigorous and healthy existence as a literary review and

LATEST TELEGRAMS REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

PARLIAMENTARY ELECTION FOR TIPPERARY.

THE DE BRAZZA AFRICAN EXPEDITION.

LONDON, 23rd March, 1883. THE BOERS ON THE WAR PATH. The Boers refuse to quit Tambuland, and are

A meeting of the Legislative Council was held | present year, if necessary. on Saturday afternoon. There were present-

Hon. E. L. O'MALLEY, Attorney-General. Hon. J. RUSSELL, Colonial Treasurer. Hon. P. RYRIE.

Hon. J. M. PRICE, (Surveyor-General).

PETITION FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF THE CATHEDRAL GRANT.

Hon. F. B. Johnson, in presenting a petition, said-The petition which I have to present to your Excellency prays that the grant hitherto given by the Government for the maintenance in this Colony of the public services of the Church. telephonic apparatus of the Oriental Telephone of England, and which it has been understood is Company, Limited, of 3, Great Winchester to be withdrawn under the instructions of the Street, E.C.; of James Draper Bishop and Ar- Scoretary of State, may be continued. The petichibald John Little, of Shanghai, trading as the tion is signed by representatives of all classes, His Excellency the Major General Commanding, in-Mutual Telephone Association; and of the races, and creeds in the community, and if it has it has not been because further signatures would have been unobtainable, but because it was deemed account of which purchase money interest has hither. Telford Avenue, Streatham Hill; J. S. Cooke, unnecessary to ask for them in presence of the to been paid by the Colonial Government.

C.E., 5 Raymond Buildings, Gray's Inn; H. A. statement made by your Excellence's predecessor. The Committee find that this purchase having been to such an extent that the police and courts C.E., 5 Raymond Buildings, Gray's Inn ; H. A. statement made by your Excellency's predecessor should be unable to cope with it. In civilized Yeutsch, 17, Tugels Road, Clapham, Junction; in a dispatch to the Secretary of State to the Yeutsch, 17, Tugela Road, Clapham Junction; in a dispatch to the Secretary of State to the J. Byles, 26, Taviatook Street, W.C.; R. S. effect that the Chinesé population were in favour Cuff, Electrician, 5, Cedar Road, Tottelham; of a continuance of the grant. Sir, I give my that the Colonial Government should complete the crime are looked on as a good sign. Accord- G. Newington, East Dulwich. Registered 31st individual support to the petition, not because I purchase of the premises by payment of the sum of opinion that the abrogation of the wrant stipulated; and recommend therefore that the sum ing to the Japan Mail, the more the gaols ult., by Messre. Renshaw & Co., 2 Suffolk Lane, am of opinion that the abrogation of the grant would injuriously affect the interests of religion. I am convinced that those interests stand On Saturday afternoon the members of the upon foundations too broad and solid to be self-interest or prejudice are the ruling Volunteer Corps had carbine practice at the injuriously affected by anything the state may Kowleen Butts. A good number went over by a do or may not do. They require no state aid launch provided for the purpose from the Mur- I support the petition in the interests of the "When Europeans carry their energy and ray Pier at 2.30, the arms and ammunition being state itself under the special circumstances of "capital to Oriental countries it would be on board, and at 3.15 another contingent was this Colony and because for the reasons stated brought over in the same manner. Considering in the petition I think the maintenance of "absurd to protend that they have in view that several present had never fired a gun before, the grant will conduce to the good order, the "any object other than their own speedy any high average was not to be expected, es- public decoram, and the general convenience of "enrichment. Charity begins at home is pecially as the position was standing. The the whole community, and moreover because I ranges were 200 and 300 yards, five shots at each, um of opinion that its abrogation will, to a cer-"the motto they adopt from the commence- and for the latter range two prizes were given. tain extent, be an infraction of the implied con-"ment to the finish, and if the inhabitants The prizes were a pewter oup and a silver medal. ditions under which the members of the Civil Lieut. Moseley and Bugler Flanagan each scored service accepted their offices in this Crown

eleven out of a possible twenty, and tied for first Colony. Colony.

The Administrator said the petition would and the Colonial Treasurer, dated the 17th instant, and the Colonial Treasurer, dated the 17th instant, recommending the appointment from the 1st proxime, of Mr. Henrique Bedrigues as Chief Excise Officer under the Excise Ordinacces (Opium) 1858-1879, at a The COLONIAL SECRETARY moved the passing of the following votes, the consideration of ! the medal. Early in May another oup will be which was adjourned from the last meeting :--Compensation to Mr. D. E. Caldwell, for

domagos sustained at fire of 19th January, preciate foreign influence, the air of dis. drills in April can compete for it, and any drills Componention to Mr. Au Wing, for damages enstained at fire of 19th January, 1881 150.00 Hon. F. B. JOHNSON-Sir, Lam much obliged for the consideration which induced you to amount be voted

The Agents (Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & postpone these votes from the last Council mesting from which I was unavoidably absent. frankly say I should have deemed it my duty to oppose this appropriation of public money if opposition would have been otherwise than futile the money having long age been paid. but I should like to say a few words upon it before the vote is passed. The circumstances as I understand them, out of which this vote arose, 'occurred in connection with a fire which took place in this Colony some years ago. On the fire being extinguished a wall was left standing, and the proper authorities deeming this wall dangerous ordered it to be pulled down. In pulling it down it fell and injured some of the neighbouring houses. The neighbours who were injured claimed damages, and it seems at first sight that damage done to individuals for the good of the community should properly be a claim upon that community; but the Attorney-General, the Macac line, and the Kinking took the place by an opinion read in Finance Committee. of the Honam on the Canton route on Friday, advised the Government that these claims morning, the latter going into dock for some were not valid in law. The Surveyor-

General thereupon, in a despatch to the Government, represented the extreme bardship of the case, but he failed to show that there was any exceptional hardship; there was no question of a compassionate allowance both the claimants being men of good means. It seemed to me that there were only two courses properly open to the Government-to admit the stant changing. hardship and injustice of the law-pay the claims and repeal the law-or to maintain the asked for be voted. law and refuse the claims. The third course which has been adopted by the Government—to maintain the law and pay the claims-appears to me to be entirely indefensible. I am aware that guarantees have been taken from the claimants that the case shall not be considered as a precedent, but it scems to me that Government will be called upon to pay any similar claims which may The Shanghai Courier of the 20th inst. says :- occur and that you will not be able with any justice The duplicate cable between Hongkong and to refuse. Therefore had my opposition to this

ompany will have a hulk moored in the river, vote has been brought before the Council. vided for this service in the estimates for 183; When the Finance Committee were discus- that owing to unavoidable delays it was not possible hai. It appears, however, they are not able to sing the matter my hon. friend the Colonial Secretary, with that impartiality and fairness for which he is over distinguished, in bringing forward these votes stated the pres and cons of the case, why they should and why they should not be paid, so fully, and I was with great diffioulty making up my mind as to what I should The Mercury bears that great joy prevailed at do when I was astonished to be told that the spread that a powerful steam dredger had arriv- unofficial members of this Connoil are only ed, because it had been rumoured there for a too glad to place their services at the disposal of long time that the port was going to be dredged. the Council, but it is really not fair to ask them But it turned out that it was the Hopper Dred- to come here and sacrifice their time in discusper intended for the Woosung Bar, which called sing votes of public money which have already there for coal on the passage from England to been decided. I submit this case was not a Shanghai; now, coal there is none at Takao, but | case of urgency, and I think you will agree some dredging operations may be done there with me that nothing is more calculated to bring with advantage; the port "is susceptible of our proceedings into contempt, than that when great improvement at small expense, and as For- we meet together to consider the expenditure of

> The Administrator—I must take the blame of authorising the payment of the money, but was acting under a false impression at the time. The papers were laid before me, and I saw a minute on them that they had been before the Council—the Executive Council it now appears -and under the impression that it was thi Connoil, the payment was authorised. I think my hon, friend is under some misapprehension with regard to the opinion of the Attorney General. He did give an opinion to that effect but said that further evidence was necessary Further evidence was got, and the payment made I have taken care that no payment should be

eassing of the votes. The COLONIAL SECRETARY moved that Legisative sanction be given for the votes referred to in the subjoined minutes of the Finance

Committee.

made without the authority of this Council.

Council Chamber, Hongkong, 13th March, 1883. Present:—The Honourable the Acting Colonial Secretary, (Frederick Stewart); the Honourable Phiness Ryrie; the Honourable John Macnelle Price; the Honourable Francis Bulkeley Johnson. Absent:—His Honour the Chief Justice; (Sir George leg "took miss," evidently mistaking the time Philippo); the Honourable the Attorney General, (Edward Loughlin O'Malley); the Honourable the Colonial Treasurer, (James Russell); the Honourable nating dear little Loc. Our bowlers hearts must William Koswick (on leave); the Honourable Ng rejoice with such an analysis against their Choy (on leave).

The Committee meets this day by Special Summons. The minutes of the last meeting of the Committee, held on the 2nd instant, are read and confirmed. EXCESS OF THE ESTIMATES FOR 1883.

Read :- Socretary of State's Despatch No. 21, of

he 22nd January last, authorizing a vote of \$1,000

per annum to be proposed to the Council as salary for an Aide-de-camp to the Governor. It being represented to the Committee that, in impartial manner; suffice it to say that up to consequence of the growth of the colony, the duties time. Rice and Travers were still in, thanks, be adequately performed by one person the amount Read :- A minute by the Acting Colonial Secretary

and the Acting Colonial Treasurer, dated the 9th natant, recommending the following provisional and temporary appointments and salaries, &c., in connection with the Opinin Revonus Service .-GALARIES.

Superintendent, per month
Compreders at the Factory, (who will find 2 Clorks and 7 Assistants) Clork and Accountant in charge of the Factory Excise Officer and Confidential Watchman at the Factory Excise Officer Excise Officer

2 Extra Excise Officers, at \$5 each, (in addition to pay in the Registrar General's Office) ...

sent required for the efficient working of the Opium Revenue branch of the Treasury, and consider the salaries, &c., recommended reasonable.

be made for the proposed salaries to the end of the HARBOUR MASTER. Read :- Letter No. 82 from the Harbour Master, His Excellency the ADMINISTRATOR, the dated the 5th instant, reporting certain defects in connection with the steam-launch Victoria, for the repairing of which a sum of \$700 is necessary. The Committee find that the Victoria has been in

The Committee therefore recommend that provision

use 74 years, and that her last repairs were effected The Committee consider the repairs alluded to absolutely necessary, and therefore recommend that the sum of \$700 be voted for this service. SERVICES EXCLUSIVE OF ESTABLISHMENTS.

Rend :-Letter No. 5, of the 20th ultime, from the Colonial Surgeon, applying for a compassionate allowance for the widow and the child of David Stew. art. Wardmaster of the Lunatic Asylum The Committee find that the deceased had served the Government faithfully for nearly 12 years, first as a Turnkey in the gool, and subsequently as Word.

master of the Lunatic Asylum; and that the widow has been left entirely destitute. The Committee are of opinion that this once is one or favourable consideration, and recommend thereore that a compassionate allowance of \$100 be voted Read :- Letter No. 503, of the 9th instant, from

in 1873 for Marine Lot No. 66 (Crosby's Store), on be voted.

The Chairman adjourns the Committee sine die.

Council Chamber, Hongkong, 21st March, 1883. Present:-The Honographe the Acting Colonial Se oretary, (F. Stewart); the Hozourable the Colonial Treasurer, (James Russell); the Hon. P. Byrie, the Hon. J. M. Price, the Hon. F. B. Johnson. Absent — His Hondar the Chief Justice, (Sir George Phillippo); the Honourable the Attorney General, (E. L. O'Malloy); the Hon. Wm. Keswick, (on leave); the Hon. Ng Choy, (on leave).

The Committee meets this day by special summons.

The minutes of the last meeting of Committee, held on the 18th instant, are read and confirmed.

Excess of the Estimates for 1883. RETABLISHMENTS. COLONIAL TREASURES.

salary of \$75 per month.

The Committee find that owing to the increase of work in the Opium Revenue branch of the Treasury it is essential for the proper carrying out of the Exby the Acting Colonial Secretary and the Colonial Tronsurer as having had long experience as an Exciss The Committee therefore recommond that the

Bead :- Secretary of States' despatch No. 223 he 10th October last, authorizing the appointment of Mr. James Cramp; as an additional clerk of works. The Surveyor General explains to the Committee that owing to the large increase of work in this Department he had found it necessary to apply for an additional clerk of works. The Committee recommend that the following items

anlary to Mr. Cramp from the date of his eparture from England (9th November, 1882) to the date of his arrival in the colony (30th Dec., 1882) at \$800 per an.
Full salary for 31st Dec., 1882 at \$1,600 -Full calary from 1st January to 30th Nov.

be voted for thin service:

\$1,584,30 SERVICES EXCLUSIVE OF ESTABLISHMENTS. COLONIAL TREASURER. Read:-A minute by H.E. the Officer Administering

the Government, dated the 16th ultimo, requesting the Surveyor Coneral to ascertain and report upon the conditions under which the building in Sai On Lane, used by their Opium Farmers for boiling opium, could be bired by the Government.

Road also:—The Surveyor General's minute of the 7th ultimo reporting that the proprietor of the build ng would take \$100 a month rent for the building and asking that sum of \$1,500 be placed at hie disposal for keeping up the place fitted with proper furnaces during the year for opium boiling purposes.

The Committee find that the premises are necessary for the proper carrying out of the Excise Ordinances Opium) 1858-1879, and that the furnaces require con-The Committee therefore recommend that the sums. Read :- Letter No. 7 of the 7th instant from the

an additional house for opium boiling purposes. The Committee find that owing to the increase quantity of opium boiled daily it is necessary to provide more space, and recommend therefore that a sum be voted for the renting of another house close to the Public Factory which the Surveyor General reports may be get at \$35 per month.

Surveyor General asking for a revote of the sum of block risks. Shanghai is to be landed in the river, the cable vote been likely to be of effect. I should have \$1,000 for the completion of the stone step and balustrade fence leading from Duddell Street to Ice House

> to set the work on hand until very late in the last financial year; the Committee find further that provi sion is made for only \$1,000 for this work in the mates for the current year. . The Committee therefore recommend that the sum asked for be re-voted.

LANDS AND HOUSES PURCHASED. Read: -Surveyor General's letter No. 77 of the 17th nstant urging the immediate resumption by the Crown of Inland Lot No. 519 for the purposes of the Hospital extension scheme sanctioned by the Secretary of State. Read also :-- A minute by H.E. the Officer Administering the Government directing a vote to be taken in ling them as auditors for the current year.

Finance Committee for (\$1,058) the amount to be paid WM. REINERS, C. by way of componsation to the owner (Tang Aluk). The Committee find that the amount assessed by the Surveyor General is reasonable, and recommend therefore that the sum, \$1,058, be voted.

The COLONIAL TEASURER seconded the passing of the votes. Carried.

THE PUBLIC TRAFFIC ORDINANCE. The Vehicles and Public Traffic Ordinance was ead second time, considered in Committee, and

The Colonial Treasurer recommended the long time past, was brought before the court on arly proclamation of the Ordinance, in order that the issue of licences under it might be com- an indecent manner in Queen's-road West, on menced forthwith, as the old licences expired on the 31st March, and it would take some time to same all the new ones required. The Council was then adjourned sine die.

CRICKET.

HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB V. THE BUFFS. The return match against the Buffs was the 29th June 1581. played on 23rd and 24th March and resulted in a decisive victory for the Club; the Hon. Sec. The COLONIAL TREASURER seconded the bearing in mind the defeat sustained in December, Buffs were weakened by the absence of some of their best men. Losing the toss, the Hongkong Cricket Club had to take the field, but were not kept out long, as the Buffs' batsmen failed to make any stand against the Club bowlers. Gordon was the top scorer with 17, lifted together by some fine country play. There was no special fielding to comment on, though long

The last's is quite too utter.

The Club commenced their innings about 12.30, and a right merry time the Buffs had, they being kept well on the qui vive in the most impartial manner; suffice it to say that up to however, to the kindness of Point for not cepting deposits offered at about 10 and 20 per cent., and he doubtless feels a bitter pang; those escapes, moreover, cost the Club two bats. Rice was the first to leave through trying to take a liberty with a straight one. lat wicket down and 181 up. Coxon played in his usual nest and 150 pretty style for 7, when an erratio decision by 50 the umpire for lbw, caused his retirement, much to his disgust, he having played the ball bard on to his thigh. Our Stumper had had his day on the 22nd. Hodder joined Travers and played the very cautious old man game in a masterly manner. Travers was the next to leave, having played a capital innings of 79-N.B. bat No. 2. The Hon. Sec. soon got well \$374 set, but found his partner firmly anchored, so much so that being called to run he did not . trip his best bower smartly, thereby causing the Hon. Sec. to retire for 7, lamenting-more in office on the afternoon previous, and must have sorrow than in anger—that such a fine Audacious young gricketer gouldn't start his "steamer" quicker. The Veteran sprinter at once became busy, and rash-on this occasion permissible, our Sapper being a disconsolate spectator in Road appeared to a summons charging him with for sale even at the low figure of Tls. 150. the Pavilion—and quickly placed 16 against his baving assaulted Chu Atung, on the 21st inst. name until in letting go at one with the proverbial "humph" he failed to land it into the North Barracks, the ball continued its course. uplifted, and found a kind friend in the slips. | defendant said "you --- Chinaman, get away " Dobson's absence from practice proved fatal at and then, rolling up his sleeves, would have the first ball. Our stylish bat, Mr. Newcombe, struck him had not a Sikh constable interposed. | now. The only question now is Annam and having altered his tactics from bold forward The constable did not corroborate the latter Tonquin. Generals on the retired list have play to minoing back caused very little trouble statement, but he said the complainant's shoes to the scorer. Barff and Whyte becoming ashitting freely and hard until caught by long was discharged with a caution. stop, leaving Whyte to carry his bat for a well played 20, got by bold forward play, the result of the innings being 293.

The Buffs were more successful in their se- enatch a pair of silver earnings from a girl's cars good venture Jarrett being top scorer with 45, in Gap-Street on the 23rd inst. made up principally of threes, the ground playing slower appeared to suit the jumper, who was forming him that instructions had been received from dismissed by a very sharp catch at point. The the court charged with not keeping the near

> The following is the score: SECOND INNIFER

rirate Hughesman, b Travers ...

Lieut, Farrett, b Travent.......

e Rico, b St. Crolx Extrap HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB.

3 st. Hedley, b Barif.... 17 e Hodder, b Rice..... 0 c Hodder, b Bt. Croix.

MR. COXON'S THAM V. MR. ST. CROIX'S

he can how lobs, by taking 6 wickets for 38

proved fatal, too, to "Pietermariteburg" and have sent the labster home rejoicing greatly. The following is the score:-

MR. COXON'S TRAM. Mr. C. J. T. Dormer, R.N., o Hughesman, h Hodder Mr. G. S. Coren, b St. Croit. Mr. A. G. Wise, not out

Mr. Christy, c Ashley, b Hedley.
Capt. Westoby, c and b Dormer
Mr. A. G. Stokes, c Farguhar, b Hedley.
Mr. V. A. C. Hawkins, b Hedley.
Mr. H. G. Rico, D.A. C.G., c Haro, b Hedley..... der and St. Croix, to but...........

MR. ST. CROIX'S TRAM.

THE CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

The following is the report of the directors t the twelfth ordinary meeting of shareholders Colonial Treasurer reporting the necessity of renting | be held at the Hoad Office of the Company at Hongkong, on Tuesday next at 3 o'clock p.m .:-The directors have now to submit to the share. olders the twelfth annual report of the company to the 31st December, 1882. The net premia carned during the year, less reinsurances and return premia amounts to \$188.117.95

which the directors regret is somewhat less than hat

necting, is fairly satisfactory.

DIRECTORS. Mr. Geo. O. Scott having resigned his seat on leav-ing the colony, Mr. Henry Foss has been elected in his place, and his appointment requires confirmation Mesers. Fung Tang and Los Tuck Cheong rotire i otation, but being eligible offer themselves for re-

Mr. L. Hauschild and Mr. Thomas Arnold have andited the accounts, (Mr. Arnold having been appointed in lieu of the late Mr. Henry Smith, deceased and the directors have much pleasure in recommend

WM. REINERS, Chairman. Hongkong, 27th March, 1883.

POLICE COURT 24th March. BEFORE MR. H. E. WODEHOUSE

DRUNKEN BEASTLINESS. Thomas King, an unemployed American er gineer, who has been losting in the colony for a a charge of having been drunk, and behaving in Thursday afternoon. The man bad been in gaol here nine times be-

fore for drunkenness, and he had no defence to nake to the charge.

He was fined £5, and in default of payment, gulf; she left again on the 13th. The Wei-yuen. make to the charge. he was sent to gaol for three months. AN OLD CASE.

Lo Acheung, tailor, was charged with robbing another tailor of clothing to the value of \$21 on | in a few days. At the time in question the two tailors were living in the same house, but early on the morning of the 29th June the prisoner left the house without giving any warning of his intention. placed a very strong Eleven in the field. The and when the complainant got up he missed his fellow lodger and his clothes. Nothing more was complainant came across him in a house in Lascar Row. He accused the defendant of the

> Supreme Court. BEFORE CAPT. H. G. THOMSETT, R.N.

theft, and the latter said he was very sorry.

UNLICENSED OPIUM BOILING Lui Chin, painter, was charged with boiling and preparing opium without a pegmit, and also with being in possession of prepared opium at Shankiwan, on the 23rd inst. The defendant admitted boiling opium, and

he said it was for his own use. Fined \$10, or 14 days' imprisonment, and opium | morrow for Japan. His Excellency Li Hung. nd implements forfeited. CHARGE OF THEFT AGAINST A SERVANT. Pau Avum, a servant in the employ of Mr. D. Musso, was brought up on a charge of stealing notes to the value of \$150 belonging to his interview with the Customs Taotai, and they

employer, on the 22nd inst. Mr. Musso said the prisoner had been in his Taotai said he would apply for permission and employ two days. On the morning of the 22nd let Mr. Möllendorf know when Li was prepared inst. the defendant took the trousers he had worn to see them. It is rumoured that Mr. Möllenthe day before and brushed them, and prosecutor dorf is auxious to get nineteen members of the put on another pair. It was his custom to put the Chinese Customs staff for the Korean ports. key of his safe in one of a chest of drawers before And that he said he applied to Sir Robert Hart going to bed, but that morning he could not find for them, through Li Hung-chang. it there, and later on he discovered it in the pocket of the pair of tronsers the prisoner had brushed. Mr. Musso went to his safe, where there dien Opium is not saleable; ordinary native should have been \$1,000 in notes, but on counting the notes over, he found them \$150 short. He accused the prisoner of the theft, and the man denied it, but prosecutor searched him, and found no money on him. He was convinced that the prisoner had taken the money, and he tole him that if he did not return it he would give him into custody. The prisoner then turned pale and said "perhaps have got in dining room. He went there followed by Mr. Musso, and stooped down against the fireplace after which be called out to his master and pointed to some! notes lying underneath the table. These were the missing notes, and they could not have been lying in such a position before, or they must have been seen. The prisoner was in presecutor's

seen him put money into the safe. The prisoner was committed for trial at the Supreme Court:

CHARGE OF ASSAULT. The complainant said the defendant was squirt- tariff. The native dealers have written to ing water in the road, and as he was passing, charter sailing vessels. Foreigners and some some of the water went on his clothes. Complain- large native hongs are looking out for ou taid ant told the defendant he was very careless. The steamers. and stockings were wet. The defendant denied the allegations, and he | Li Hung chang's warriors, at the rate of 1,000

ATTEMPTED BARRING SNATCHING. Chan Ashik, hawker, was sentenced to three months' hard labour for having attempted to

REGULATING JINBICKSHA. Ten jinricksha coolies were summoned before the Secretary of State for the colonies to pay to the innings clised for 127, leaving the Club winners side of the read with their vehicles, and they

UNPROVOKED ASSAULT. Lai Ai and Tsang Asau, appeared on re mand to a charge of assaulting a leading seaman

of H. M. S. Albaiross, on the 20th inst. A junk drifted foul of the Albatross from the action of the tide, there being no wind to fill her sails. An order was given for some men to man a la boat and tow the junk off and Pender and some other men got into a boat and hailed to those on board the junk to throw him a rope to tow them off with. They refused to do so, and he went on board and taking Coode then rode at the man, who stood his a rope, passed it to the boat, though he mot with some opposition on board the junk. The rope had just been made fast, and Pender stood up, when the first prisoner went behind him. and struck him on the head a heavy blow with a spike fixed in a bamboo. Pender was nearly knocked into the water, and was unable to appear as a witness until Saturday. The men on board the junk seemed afraid of what the boat's onew conting through the main artery and producing were going to do, and they cut their own rope.

meen foreigners before. 14 days' hard labour. Li Akum, barber, living at No. 122, High. 17th instant.

street, was sent to gad for six weeks in default A scratch game was afterwards played, Coxon's | of payment of a fine of \$25 for possession of prepared opium without a permit on the 22nd inst. ATTEMPTED SUICIDE. Hung Afung, a married woman, was brought

in a desponding state for some time on accoun of the loss of her child. Her relatives promised to take care of her and he was discharged.

AN OLD BEACHCOMBER. Charles Fallen, an unemployed Norwagian seaman, made a fourth appearance in the court, charged with being a regue and vagabond and legging in the street on the 22nd inst. He admitted the charge, and was sent to gaol or three menths.

CORRESPONDENCE

We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our Correspondents.] HONGKONG SAMPANS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS." Sir,-Last year you were good enough to insert a few words on the above subject. May I relate my experience of this year? Yesterday afternoon, being desirous of going on board my ship, I arrived at Marray Pier, and after shouting for about a quarter of an hour, a filthy-looking woman ordered me into her boat:

I assumed a doubled up position and scrambled or was shoved into a den which fairly defles description; suffice it to say that the small amount of air procurable in this machine was polluted to such an extent as to render breathing a difficulty. and everything one touched was covered with a sort of greasy dirtiness. I found that I was to have the company of half a dozen children of both sexes, through whose coating of dirt a plentiful development of strofula was plainly dispernible. Behind the back board sat an ancient dame, who, during the journey strove in vain to bush the yells of an infant, who, though I dare say suffering from all sorts of borrible diseases, left no doubt on my mind as to the soundness of its

It is almost incredible that although my ship lay only 400 yards from the pior, it was over a shareholders \$18,000, and working expenses, the ac. quarter of an hour before I was released from count shows a debit balance of \$3,907.18, which when this prison by arriving alongside. On leaving taking into consideration the claims amounting to the boat I tendered the legal fave (10 cents), and over \$50,000, paid and advised at date of last annual was at once overwhelmed by a volley of disgusting language (in English). I forgot to say that before embarking, my description, the name of my ship, and the num-

ber of the sampan, were carefully noted by a policeman. May I ask if any of your readers have a

similar experience? or whether mine is an isolated one? also, is there any remedy for any of these ONE WITO HAS USED SOME 20,0004

BOATS. Hongkong, 22nd March, 1883.

CHEFOO.

The weather has been very unsettled lately fine days with light easterly winds and mild weather and bad days with strong norther'y winds, accompanied with snowsqualls, and cold weather, succeeding each other. Yesterday we had snow and sleet, to-day it is blowing strong

The Chinese gunboat Teac Kiang, with Captain Lang on board, arrived from a cruise on the 11th, reporting the fleet of alphabetical gunboats at anchor under the Miautau Islands baving been prevented from proceeding to Tienwith Admiral Ting, succeeded in reaching Taku. The U.S. ganboat Palos arrived from Tientain on the 12th; she will leave our port again The Chinese gunboat Tuean left for Korea

on the 13th. Mr. Hughes, the Commissioner of Customs at this port, will go home, on two years' leave, on 1st April : no information has been received yet regarding his successor. Sailing vessels in harbour :- German ship soon of the prisoner until Thursday when the Ida, loading for Swatow; German barque Ino, complainant came across him in a house in Las. loading for Swatow; German barque Satura, loading for Swatow; German barque Pallas. loading for Amoy; British barque Velocity,

loading for Amoy; British barque Tetuan. The case was committed for trial at the from Nagasaki; Danish barque Kjobenhavn, from Taiwanfoo; German barque Juno, from Taiwanfoo : German schooner Anna, from Taiwanfoo; British barque Maggis Dixon, from Wollongong ; British barque Oceania, from Nagasaki.— *Hercury* Correspondent.

13th March, 1883. The Russian man-of-war Nerva leaves tochang has fixed the day of his departure, to hur his mother, for the 1st April. Mr. G. P. von Möllendorf and the two officials who arrived with him in the El Dorado, had an applied to see His Excellency Li: the Customs

The Piece Goods market has gone down seven candareens per piece, since the river opened. Inopium sells as low as Tls. 70 per picul. Kero-

sine Oil has gone down from S3 to \$2.40 per The Shanghai-Canton Chinese Overland Telegraph line is arranged by Li Hung-chang. He must have been able to convince his colleagues of Fookien of the benefits of it, but the holders of shares are trying to sell because they learn that His Excellency is not able to prevent the

landing of the Eastern Extension Co.'s cable. which to a great extent changes the scheme of the prospectus. Messrs. Shui and Wu are still at Peking treating with the Seventh Prince, and it is said that Mr. Wu is waiting for further particulars from his chief Mr. Tong-king aing. The Railroad and Mining scheme is so popular that the money for it will be subscribed at Peking and here; the Chinese are roady here to buy at a preminu and are anxiously inquiring for the scrips; F. C. Biggars, innkeeper, No. 288, Queen's those holding Kaiping scrips are tendering them

Great dissatisfaction is felt at the new freight

Kores, which occupied the minds of the Chinese last year, has all gone out of their minds tendered their services, each promising to raise an army of 4,000 men; here we have including generals, in all over 4,000,000, which will be the army France will have to face of China alone, besides the armies now in Annam and Tonquin .-Mercury Correspondent:

THE MURDER OF AN ADJUTANT AT BOMBAY.

The following telegrams from the Bombay Jazette throw some light on the murder of the Adjutant of a regiment in India, lately reported in an Indian telegram :-ALLAHABAD, 19th Esbruary.

Lieutenant Coode, acting adjutant, 2nd Lincolnshire Regiment, was shot dead by a soldier of the same regiment at Benares on the 17th inst. The murderer with his rifle and ball ammunition deliberately opened fire upon some companies drawn up on the parade ground. A soldier was wounded in the leg. Lieutenant ground and fired two shots, the first killing The Lieutenant Coode's horse, and the second killing the officer. He was afterwards disarmed and arrested by a comrade. The murderer said he had been suffering from delirium tremens.

CALCUTTA, 20th February. Lieut. Coods was shot by Private Coghlin through the groin, causing a fearful wound. homorrhage, which allowed of no hope whatever The first defendant denied striking the blow, from the first. Lieut. Coole was the only officer and both said they were frightened, never having at evening parade, and he rode at Coyhlan, who was firing at the company. Private Tilly was The first defendant was fined \$10, or in default also shot in the legs, and is not yet out of danger. Coghlan is regarded as a man generally steady. Military proceedings commenced on the

The new armour-plated ship Mors, which has been ordered to be built at Chatham Dockvard. will be of such a neculiar shape that it has been found impossible to lay her keel down on either the wicket by "the Member," and the bowling | before the court on a charge of having attempted of the building slips; so that it will be necessary to build her in one of the docks. No visitors are A constable stopped the woman as she was in sllowed to enter the building in which the plans

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quest was held on the body at the Civil Hospital Allletters for publication should be written on one H. E. Wodehouse, and Messra. W. Boffey, R. side of the paper only. Advertisements and Subscriptions which are not

not help thinking that his transformation into was a compradore in Foschow formerly, we believe; we wish them joy when it comes to striking terror-into the hearts of the foreign pany called the China and Japan Telephone Co., Limited, has been registered at home. It has been formed to take over any existing telephone exchanges and businesses carried on in China and Japan, including Shanghai and Hongkon? "are foolish enough to suppose that a honours, but on shooting off the tie Lieut. Mose. "Treaty of Amity and Commerce is really ley failed to score more than eight, whilst Bug- have due consideration. ler Flanagun repeated his former acore, thus "intended to inaugurate the practice it pro- adding the cup to numerous other laurels he has "fesses, so much the worse for the in- won as a markeman. Lieut. Moseley carried off

Co.) inform us that the steamer Glenogle, from London, left Singapore for this port on Thurs-

The Messageries Maritimes steamer Yangise,

Two of the poutcons to be used in the work of raising the stenmer Carisbrooke, each supplied,

theson & Co.) inform us that the Indo-China

Estella, Right Rev. Bishop Burdon, and Right Rev. Bishop Raimondi. The programme is a

among the local charities.

fish, if the honourable acquirement of gain is selfishness, but it is a selfishness which does good all round. Our contemporary would seem to imagine that the enrichment of the herard Osborn to take in the cable." poverishment of the native, whereas the true function of commerce is the creation of wealth, not its transference from one person to another. The Mail, having referred foreigner, goes on to say that all this is so

> the China Sea Directory has it. From Takao Secretary of State for the Colonies or the Exethe dredger went to Tamsui for coal, causing an outive Government. equally great commotion there, because that port is in passession of a bar too.

Berlin Government."

SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS." LONDON, 22nd March, 1883.

A Home fluler has been elected for Tipperary. The De Brazza Expedition has started for the

HONGKONG LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

Hon. W. H. MARSH, C.M.G. Hon. Sir George Perlatepo, Chief Justice. Hon. F. STEWART, Acting Colonial Secretary.

Hon. F. B. Johnson. The minutes of the last meeting were read and

runs: another coat of varnish would have the act of getting into the water. She had been are being prepared,

team getting 109 and the Hon. Sec.'s 72 for 7 olse Ordinances to scoure the services of an experi- wickets. The chief features of the game were enced officer; and that Mr. Rodrigues is recommended the impetuous energy displayed in the field zero. the impetuous energy displayed in the field and at of the Sapper, who showed us conclusively that | to commit suicide on the 22nd instant.

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;	SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.
• • •	(Continued from 1st Page.) PASSENGERS. Per Esmeralda, str., from Manila.—Mr.
•	Mrs. Don Rafael Menzanares, children nares, Messrs. D. J. M. Scales and J. H. G.
	de Pall, and 7 Chinese. Per Iranuaddy, str., from Shanghal.— Hongkong.—Rev. P. Gaztellie, Mr. Find
	and 6 Chinese. For Singapore.—Messrs. Art Madin and John Mackeller. For Marseille Messrs. H. B. Moyer and V. Sembranil.
	DEPARTED, Per Chinkiang, str., for Shaughai.—Mr. Mrs. de Clermont.
	Per Tholes, str., for Swatow.—Mr. Che Wallace.
•	REPORTS. The British steamer Esmeralda reports
· .	Manila on the 21st inst., and had unsteady is breezes and high confused sea.
	The British steamer <i>Hector</i> reports left Lapool on the 1st February, and Singapore on 18th March, and had fine weather throughout the steamer throughout throughout the steamer throughout the steamer throughout the steamer throughout throughout the steamer throughout the steamer throughout throughout the steamer throughout the steamer throughout the steamer throughout throughout the steamer throughout the steamer throughout the steamer throughout the steamer throughout throughout the steamer throughout throughout the steamer throughout throughout the steamer through the steamer throughout the steamer throughout throughout the steamer throughout the steamer throughout the steamer throughout throughout the steamer throughout the steamer throughout the steamer throughout throughout the steamer throughout the steamer th
	The Chinese stenmer Hwaiyuan reports Shanghai on the 21st inst., and had light
	able winds and cloudy weather throughout. The British steamer Ningpo reports du
•	the passage had light variable winds and cloudy weather, high Easterly swell and for at times.
١ .	The British steamer Miramar reports Saigon on Sunday, 19th March. First par
* . • • . •	passage fine weather, latter part strong wand rais.
-	The British steamer Benlivia reports Saigen at noon, 21st instant, and had made breeze and smooth sea to Cape Padaran, the
	to 20 N. moderate breeze and high head Latter part fresh Easterly wind and heavy
٠.	The British steamer Woosung reports Saigon on the 18th March, and had N.E. to
	winds until 21st March; thence to ar N.E. winds and high confused sea. 23rd light wind and thick overcost weather.
	The British steamer Names reports left ohow 20th. Amoy 21st, and Swatow 22nd is
٠.	and experienced moderate monsoon and fine ther throughout. In Forehow steamer Nan- In Amoy steamer Giencoe. In Swatow steam
•	Lusitania and Changehore.
•	The British steamer Hollow reports left gon 20th March, 11.25 a.m. Arrived at H kong 25th, 6 a.m. First part of the passage
	perionced moderate Northerly winds with clear weather, latter part N.E. winds with cleast, misty weather at intervals.
•	The British steamer Hainan reports left how at 3 p.m. on the 23rd inst., and anchord
	6 p.m. same day under Hainan head, were squally with dense fog; got underweigh aga
	6.30 a.m., 24th, thence to port had moderate winds and fogs, engines slowed 8 hours. Hollow steamer Activ.
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	JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, Secretary. Hongkong, 27th March, 1882. [680]	BAN HUP, Esq. YOW CHONG F CHAN LI CHOY, Esq. Q. HOI CHUS	eng. Esq.
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Hongkong. 4th May, 1881. [847	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,			
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RTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.	"ZAMBESI."
HE undersigned, Agents of the above Com- pany, are authorized to INSURE against RE at Current Rates.	will leave for the above place at Four P.M., TO MORROW, the 27th March. A. McIVER,
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Hongkong, 17th March, 1	883;	[554
FOR KUDAT AND THE Steamship	SANDAKAN.	
"FOKIEN	٧,"	
Captain Abbott, will be desp Ports on THURSDAY, the	atched for the a ne 29th instant	, at

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For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.
Hongkong, 22nd March, 1883.
STEAM TO YOKOHAMA VIA NAGASAKI AND HIOGO. (Passing through the Inland Sea). THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

	'KHIVA"	:
will leave for the	bove places on SATU	RDA:
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Hongkong, 22	d March, 1883.	

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THE Compan	y's Steamship	
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For Freight or Passage, apply to	18th April for MARSEILLES VIA SAIGON,
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	(Taking Cargo at through rates to CALCUTT.
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Hongkong, 17th March, 1883.	լ5.

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	Hongkong, 22nd March, 1889. [58

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FOR LONDON, VIA SUEZ (JANAL.

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1	the 5th April.
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	STEAM TO SHANGHAL
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÷	"DECCAN,"
	will leave for the above place about 24 hour
::	ofter her arrival with the next English mail.
:	A. MolVER,
ا٠	Superintendent,
•	Hongkong, 23rd March, 1883.

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MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, CO LOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ. ISMATLIA, PORT SAID, SYRIAN PORTS NAPLES, MARSEILLES, AND ORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, March. AND ALL INDIAN PORTS. N TUESDAY, the 27th day of March

1883, at NOON, the Company's Steamship "IRAOUADDY," Commandant Pasqualini, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and ARGO, will leave this Port for the above Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marsoilles for the principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted until Noon of 26th March, 1883.

Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M., Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 26th March, 1883. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are due here on the 26th March. required. For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, 16th March, 1883 OCCIDENTAL AND OBJENTAL STEAM SHIP COMPANY. PARTING CARGO AND PASSENGERS

TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES. MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA. AND EUROPE: Commandant Lormier, will be despatched for THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS,

> ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS. WHE Steamship "COPTIC" will be de spatched for San Francisco, vid Yokohama and Honolulu, on TUESDAY, the 27th March,

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES 1999, at Three P.M. Connection being made at Yokohama wit MARITIMES PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports. All PARGEL PACKAGES should be marked to address in full: and same will be received at the THE Company's Steamship Company's Office until Five P.M. the day previous to sailing. Commandant Drujon, will be despatched for - RETURN PASSAGUS.—Passongers, who have 'YOKOHAMA

MARITIMES.

HE Company's Steamship

PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

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Agent.

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Hongkong, 16th March, 1883.

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Hongkong, 12th March, 1883.

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Hongkong 27th February, 1883.

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Hongkong, 26th February, 1883.

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Agents.

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Hongkong, 16th March, 1883. FOR LONDON, HAVRE, AND HAMBURG MITSU BISHI MAIL STEAMSHIP CO (Taking Cargo at through rates for STEAM TO NAGASAKI AND KOBE, VIA INLAND SEA. (Taking Cargo for YOKOHAMA). " MERIONETHSHIRE."

Read, Commander, due here about the 25th TIME . "KUMAMOTO-MARU," Captain DRUMMOND, due here on or about the 25th inst, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 30th March, at FOUR P.M. Cargo received on board and Parcels at the Office up to ONE P.M., of the day of Sailing. No Bill of Lading signed under \$2 Freight. All Claims for Damage must be settled on Calling at Port Darwin, Thursday Island board before delivery is taken, otherwise they will not be recognized. Cargo and Passencers for Yokohama will be transhipped to the Shanghai Mail Steamer at.

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THE INDIAN MAIL The two next steamers, with the Indian mail, left Calcutta on the morning of the 15th March, and may be expected here on or about the 31st

'THE AMERICAN MAILS. The Pacific Mail Steamship Company's steamer City of Tokio, with the next American mail leaves Yokobama on the 24th, and may be exposted to arrive here on or about the 30th inst.

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STEAMERS EXPECTED. The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Hector left Singapore on the morning of the 18th, and is

17th, and is due here on the 28th instant. The Glen Line steamer Glenogle left Singapore on the 22nd, and is due here on the 28th

The steamer Euxine left Port Darwin on the

POST-OFFICE NOTICES

instant.

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A MAIL WILL CLOSE For Shanghai.—Per Amoy, to-day, the 26th instant, at 1.30 P.M. For Swatow, Amoyand Foochow. -- Per Namea,

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may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time of departure.

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EXTRACTS.

COMPASSION. "Non ignara mali, miseris succurrere disco." "Not unversed in suffering, I learn to succept the wrotehed."-Firgil. Hast thou no'er drained the hitter oup That mortals all must taste on earth? Has not thy soul in anguish monned. And, weeping, banished thoughts of mirth!

When thou didst lay thy dear one low, Was not thy heart nigh broken then? You each must lose his dearest loved-Go, sorrow with thy follow men! Perhaps then sought'st Ambition's throne? Or slaved for riches or for might? Or strove and strained to win the race, To be the first—to lead the light? And as thine hand was on the prize, Fate harled thee to Despair's dark den; But kindly words rokindled hope—

Go, speak them to thy fellow-men! Hast then not known Oppression's weight! Or heard the taunting laugh and jeer ! Or didst thou give thy love to one . Who turned it into louthing fear' By scorn? Or did Indifference Write thee "unloved" with her cold pen This hast thou felt? Thus others feel-Go, comfort then thy fellow-men!

"Yes, I have lost the leved, the dear! Yes, I have wept the bitter tear! Have passed mistortune's darkest hour-Have known and felt the Tomptor's power-Have bowed to scorn, unloved, alone, Longing for Friendship's cheering tone! Unhappiness | I know thee, then-So can I help my fellow mon!

G. GRAPTON, in Public Opinion.

PLAYING CHESS WITH LIVING "PIECES."

A curious plan of mising funds for the aid of local charities is to be tried on the 2nd proximo at Winchester, viz., a game of chesa played with living pieces. The chessboard will be a large portion of the floor of the Guildbail; while seats on raised tiers are to be creeted all round the hall for the accommodation of spectators. Special costumes are being prepared in London for the living chessmen. Though this form of amusement is comparatively common in Persia and the courts of some of the princes of India, is believed that it has been attempted only twice before in this country.

THE WHALEBONE INDUSTRY. America has the lion's share of the whalebone industry. This product is there supplied from only seven works-four in New York and three in Boston. The personnel is 100 to 120. The principal application of whalebone now is that in making whips and corsets. Steel has mostly displaced whalebone in umbrellas and parasols. Genuine whalebone is often made white, and used with garments of muslin or the like, not being seen through these so easily as the dark sort. The newest application of whalebone is that to hats; it is cut into fine strips and interlaced with straw. Such hats are very dear. Another novelty, is "whalebone riband." For this white whalebone is gonerally used, and the shaving is so thin that ordinary print can be read through it. It is often coloured blue, red, or green, and used by saddlers in making rosettes. Walkingsticks of whalebone are also in good demand. The exceptionally thick strips cut for this purpose are rounded by being rawn through holes in a steel plate.

METALS AND OILS. M. Chevroul found metals to have, in certain cases, a remarkable influence on the oxidation of oils. Recently, M. Livache has used, in this relation, finely divided metal (such as is got by precipitation), instead of metallic places, and the effect is greatly increased. He thus tried lead, copper, and tin, and found lead to have the strongest oil, be exposed in air, an increase of weight is very soon observed, and this is greater the more siccative (or drying) the oil. With linseed oil, the increase of weight reaches a maximum in thirty six hours; whereas, exposed alone to air, the oil would take sevedrying oils the increase of weight is much access to them during business hours. less, and takes much longer to be completed. The result in question, M. Livache points out, cannot be attributed to a simple division of the matter, allowing more active circulation of air, for the same experiment made with various other substances in fine division, does not result in any like increase of weight; the effect here

is merely like that in the case of a thin layer of oil exposed to air. The change in the other case must be attributed to a direct action of the metal. Operating with different oils, M. Livache found the increments of weight proportional (except in the case of cotton-seed oil), to those observed in the fatty acids of the oil exposed to air for several months. He suggests that industry may derive certain advantages from the facts observed. Thus, a rapid method is indicated of distinguishing drying from non-drying oils. Further, the heating of oils might be advantageously replaced by a circulation, in contact with air and in the cold state, over iron or fine plates having precipitated metallic lead on their surface. The oils so obtained would be always less coloured, and would retain great fluidity, while the objectionable odours and the danger of fire which attend the present mode of treatment would oe avoided. 🕟

SARAH BERNHARDT'S JEWELS. A bost of sightseers have been to the Hôtel Drouôt, in Paris, to inspect; before the sale by auction, a large assortment of valuable jewellery and goldsmith's work described in the auctioneer's catalogue, as fine gems, diadems, arrows, tridents, crest the accounts being carefully marked on the best Damala." There are nine collars and dia- space, achieving a clearness not previous brooches, 56 miscellaneous objects of worth, terized Chinese publications. and 15 pieces or sets of silver. Each of a To illustrate the vast scope of the work, the pair of bracelets is composed of 573 well- following facts are submitted for consideration — matched pearls, distributed in nine strings, Chalmers Vocabulary contains about 16,000 and united by clasps of sapphires, rose cut Chinese characters, and Medhurst's English diamonds, and brilliants. Another magnifi- and Chinese Dictionary about 100,000, whilst cent specimen of the jeweller's art is a words, and upwards of 600,000 Chinese characsupporting a knot of ribands enriched with quires examples to display the various appliprecious stones, from which again are sus estions and equivalents of different words which pended seven very large and eleven smaller have one general meaning. Of these examples solitaire diamonds. An antique crown of this work contains more than five times as finely carved silver gilt, and enriched lished. with gems and enamels, is covered with with gems and enamels, is covered with For practical purposes the arrangement of CHINA OVERLAND TRADE REPORT, quaint arabesques of birds, fabulous animals, the work is so complete, that a reference to its and heraldic flowers, finely chased. Nearly pages enables a person who mideratands English every one of these pieces is a couvenir of districtive with natives who tinguished homage. Queen Margaret of understand nothing but Chinese. In this respect Published at the Office of the Hongkong Daily Italy gave the "very hundsome collar of the work will be found indispensable to all Press on the Morning of the Departure pearls and brilliants, representing a garland of foliage with a pulm leaf for a centre- very few indeed of them are perfectly acquainted. piece;" the three fine brooches in the form To parties resident in England and interested of a winged dragon "are the tribute of a in China it cannot but be invaluable occasion. Russian Princess;" and an English Prince, ally. who will one day be an English King, gave the "fine Indian bracelet in enamelled gold, representing a serpent with two beads. enriched with rose diamonds and rubies," as well as another trifle of an "Indian bandeau." dotted all over with emeralds, rubies, and

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WOOLLEN GOODS. AS REPORTED BY CHINESE ON THE 24TH MAR., 1883. Cotton Yarn, No. 38 to 42, per 400 lbs. \$113.00 to 116.50 Seaweed, Green, por ploud Cotton Soods, Salgon \$4.20 to 4.30 Cotton Seeds, Siam \$4.10 to 4.20 Sharkedus, por picul...... \$35.00 to 60.00 Shellfish, Japan, per pioul\$27.00 to 89.00 GreyT.Cloths, 24 yds, &32 in. 6lbs. p. pe. \$1.20 to 1.25 Dates, Black, per picul..... Tls 4.4.5 to 4.5.5 Straits Produce, &c. -GreyT.Cloths,24 yds. &33in,7lbs.p. pe. \$1.35 to 1.70 Quicksilver, English, per picul..... Dates, Red, per picul......Tla,8.1.5 to 8.2.5 GreyT.Cloths, 24yds 36in 8lbs. KOp.pe. \$1.80 to 1.85 GreyT.Cloths, 24yds 36in 8lbs. VV p. po. \$2.80 to 2.35 Betol Nat. por pical Pepper, White, per picul Steel, English, per tub..... GreyT.Cloths, 24yds 36in 8lbs. XXp. ps. \$3.45 to 2.50 Slephant's Teeth, 7 to 8 pieces...... \$200 to 220 Pepper, Black, per picul Steel, Swedish, per tub..... St lter, per pical \$5.60 to 5.65 Flour, California, per each of 50 lbs...... \$1.48 to 1.54 Flour, American, per barrel of 100 lbs... \$3.10 to 3.25 Flour, American, per barrel of 200 lbs... \$6.20 to 6.35 Fangas \$39.50 to 40.00 Flints, per picul \$0.50 to 0.65

Handkerchiefs, Blue, per dozen \$0.60 to 0.65 Ratten, Straits, per pionl 55.30 to 5.5 Handkerchiefs, Brown, per dozen \$0.55 to 0.62 Rattans, Hangar, per pieul \$4.35 to 4.65 Sundal Wood, Malabar, per pieul \$4.50 to 4.85 Turkey Rad Shirtings, 3 lbs., per piece \$1.75 to 2.40 Velvet Black, 32 inches, per yard..... Velvet, Contian, 22 inches per yard ... Velvetoens, Black, per yard Volvotoons, Gentian, per yard White Shirtings, 54 to 60 reed, per piece [1261 White Shirtings, 64 to 66 reed, per piece White Shirtings, 68 to 80 reed, per piece White Shirtings, 600 reed, per piece White Shirtings, 7,000 read, per piece... SHIPPING IN THE CHINA WATERS. DERTINA -DATE OF CONSIGNRES. CAPTAIN. CAPTAIN. CONSIGNRES. TION. AND RIG. ARRIVAT AND BIG. HONGKONG. YOKOHAMA. In Port on 16th March, 1883. 814 | Siemssen & Co. Shanghai Siemssen & Co Sternberg 50 F. Retz Brit. str a. Cashman Rus. sch Gibb, Livingston & Co 1482

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Afong Aug. soh Brit. str Mar. 25 | Copnor Hainan M. C. Bohm 56 P. Bohm Cantur Butterfield & Swire Ger. soh J. Ogston Brit, str Hankow 30 Owston, Snow & Co. Butterfield & Swire 31 Hardy Otome Am. sch Brit. str Mar. 25 | E. Billinge ${f H}$ ector Captain Am. sch Brit. str Butterfield & Swire Mar. 25 | Hillkick Hoihow H. C. & M. Steamboat Co Canton 53 J. E. Collyer & Co. Littlejohn Otter Am, sch Brit. str T.T. Bonning Honam W. Copeland Wilson Bose · Am. soh Fren.str Messaceries Maritimes Mar. 24 Pasqualini Tracuaddy 330 | North Pacific Co Rus, bg Yokohawa 29 L'asoheffsky Mar. 19 P. Harris Khiva 4) F. Retz H.C. & M. Steamboat Col Canton Rus. soh Isaaos Kiu Kiang A. Benning 1382 Alexander Center H. C. & W. Stramboat Co | Canton Two Brothers .Hayden . بند . Brit, atr Kinngohow 22 Gould Nagasaki 1800 | Frazar & Co Vigilant M. B. M. S. S. Co 334 K'moto Maru Jap. str Mar. 25 Drummond Oct. -16 Ewart Brit. sch 250 P. Hodnett Siemssen & Co Zephyr Ger. str | 1170 | Mar. 7 P. Paulsen Lydia Manila Dunn, Melbye & Co Span.str Mindanao Mariano Russell & Co Miramar Mar. 23 E. J. Duggan Brit. str MANILA. Douglas Lapraik & Co Coast Ports Mar. 23 G. Westoby Brit, str. Namoa Shing Loong Fren.str Mar. 24 Garceau Nam-vian IN PORT ON STH MARCH, 1883. Melohers & Co. Mar. 22 | Maharcioh A.-H. štr | Orion Wieler & Co Mar. 21 Nisson . Ger. str Picciola: 650 | Maclacd & Co Annie Burr H.C. & M. Steamboat Co Canton Am. bkt Brît, str J. P. Hoyland Powan Martin, Dyce & Co. Shing Loong Fron. str 🛚 Arab : Mar. 24 Biard II.C. & M. tounboat Co Laid up T. Herrmann & Co Brit. str Snark New York Baer, Senior & Co. B. F. Watson 993 Messa reries Maritimes Yokohama Mar. 24 Drujon Fren, str Tanais Montreal 813 Smith, Bell & Co. Macao H. C. & M. Steamboat Ca Birmah . Jan. White Cloud New York 811 Martin, Dyce & Co Vladivostock 675 Melchers & Co Coryphene Rus. str Mar. 21 | Chuslevsky Wladivostook 845 T. Herrmann & Co [28 | Woosung Batterfield & Swire D. Campbell Jan. 18 Brit. str Mar. 23 Hunt New York 1338 | W. F. Stevenson & Co Feb. _13 Friederike Brit, str 286Kwek Acheong & Sons Ger. sh June 23 | H. Kennett New York Martin, Dvce & Co 997 Brit. bk Brit, str 784 Siemssen & Co Johnie Parker Feb. Mar. 0 Casson Yangtsze 626 Martin, Dyce & Co. Brit. str | 1540 | P. & O. S. N. Co Span. bk Brit. bk Josephina | Mar. 16 | Moule H13 Peele, Hubbell & Co New York. Liggie Berry Jan. Brit. bg Chinese Nicoline Jan. 17 New York 1735 Mieleol & Co BAILING VESSELS. Paul Rivoro Jan. 1543 | Perle, Hubbell & Co Feb. Raphael Ger. bk | 487 | C. Heinszen & Co Feb. Varana Melchers & Co Brit, bk Order Jan. 7 Bunge S. Francisco Russell & Co. Amr. sh New York C.B. Hazoltine Fob. 4 W. Gilkey CEBU. handernagoz Feb. 6 Mercier Carlowitz & Co Jan. 12 A. W. Smart Amr. bk Adamson, Bell & Co has. G. Rice Melohers & Co. Amr. bk IN PORT ON STH MARCH, 1883. Brit. sh | 1392 | Captain Jan. 11 Johnson, 654 Ger. bk Mar. 25 Pandh N.Y. or B'ton 4. M. Weston | Feb. Amr. bk | 740 | Macleod & Co Mar. 19 E. Ludewigs Ger. bk 576 Ed. Schellhass & Co Captain Feb. 2 Fletcher Guardian Siemssen & Co Ger. sch Mar. 24 Ploetz J'athan Bourne Mar. 10 Doane Russell & Co Augr. bk ILOILO. Ed. Schellhass & Co Ame. bk John Worster | Feb. 11 | Houghton Ed. Schellhass & Co Ger. sch Jan. 2 Schierlach Adamson, Bell & Co Brit, bk 639 Mar. 5 | C. Crowly. IN PORT ON STH MARCH, 1883. Ger. sb Melchers & Co Feb. 21 L. Warnken Mar. 4 Weinronsky Ger. bk Siemssen & Co Brit. sh 7 1178 | Auston & Co Montreal Annie M. Law (Dec. 2) Chinese. Amr. sh Mar. 4 Panno Brit. bk | 1098 | Austen & Co New York Alph. Marshall Feb.: 2 Feb. / 2 Geo. Freeman Amr. sh Russell & Co New York 787 | Ker & Co Ger. sh Herschel Siemssen & Co Mar. 5 Bannom Hongkong | 358 | T. Lizarraga Ger. soh Hotch Melchers & Co Ger. bk Mar. 25 Diewitz Boston Ker & Co John-Harvey Jan. 2 Amr. sh Order: P. N. Blanchard Mar.: 6 F. L. Onlres Boston Amr. sh [102] | Ker & Co ' Mindozo Jan. 25 Victoria B.C Ame. bk 652 | Smith, Bell & Co N-Y or B to: Minnie Allen Mar. Ed. Schellhass & Co Brit, bk Mar. 25 | Young 276 Perez Y Acha Ger. bg Schwan Vill Feb. , 20 P'sident Simson Jan. 31 G. S. Carlett Brit. bk Jardine, Matheson & Co 296 Austen & Co. Siemssen & Co. Mar. 25 Schroder IN.Y. or B'ton Amr. sh | 1117 | Martin Dyco & Co S. R. Mead Jan. Captain, 968 Sir. W. Wallace Feb. 24 T. R. Brown

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4 Tossensohn

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5 Hanson

Mar. II Weber

Oct. 25 Lone Bang

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G. H. Wappaus Mar. 9 Boysen.

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H. Upmann

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James S. Stone | Mar. : 14

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W. Siegtried Mar.

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Brown .

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984 | C. M. S. N. Co

761 | Siemssen & Co

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IN PORT ON 17TH MARCH, 1883.

Boyd & Co

240 H. A. Petersen & Co

Brown & Co

327 | Pasedag & Co

FOOCHOW.

SHANGHAI.

472 C. M. S. N. Co

Order

540 Russell & Co

360 M. B. Kaeshin.

393 Nils Moller

NAGASAKI.

Rus. sch 126 Holms, Ringer & Co

925 M. B. M. Co

Jap., sh 400 M. B. M. Co

Mex. Slevogt

948 W. Hewett & Co

IN PORT ON 17TH MARCH, 1883.

Brit. bk. 609 Order Chefoo.

359 Nils Moller

603 Gipperich & Burchardi

444 Drysdale, Ringer & Co

790 | Jardine, Matheson & Co

Eduard Schelliass & Co

Chapman, King & Co.

Meyerink & Co

IN PORT ON 21ST MARCH, 1883.

Nor. bk | 417 | Russell & Co

426

435 Chinese

IN PORT ON 17TH MARCH, 1888.

Dan. bk | 255 | H. A. Petorsen & Co.

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IN PORT ON 8TH MARCH, 1883

sorew_gun-vessel Lily Hongkong 1050 Capt. C. R. Harris gunboat Linnet Hongkong 600 Lieut-Com. A. Carpenter surveying vessel Magpie Midge Hongkong double-screw gun-vessel In reserve Liout. Com. J. H. Corfe Moorhen gunboat Com. E. F. Day Pegasus Lieut. Com. M. Bridger Sheldrake camboat 5 [1010 | Commander Collins double-serew gun-vesse Swift. Capt. J. W. Brackenbur Thalia double-screw gunboat Tweed Hongkong Commedore Cuming receiving ship V. Emanuel Lient. Com. C. Lindsay paddle despatch vessel Vigilant 1450 turret-ship In reserve Wivern 4 530 Lt. Com. G.N.A. Pollard Shanghai Zephyr Newchwang FOREIGN MEN-OF-WAR ON THE CHINA AND JAPAN STATION. WHERE AT. CAPTAIN. FLAG. NAMB.

Chefoo Captain Schanz Russian gunboat 300 Abreck 250 Commander Caillard. French gunboat Adonis Kobs Commander L. Kempff. American corvette Alert Singapore Russian corvette Captain Alexieff. Hongkeng Spanish frigate Captain J. R. Hiquero Hongkong D of Edinburgh Russian fronclad 900 Captain Giers German corvette Nagasaki Captain Koltchau Russian transport Ermak Commander Stark Vladivostock Russian gunboat Gornostai. Craising 100 Commander Klausa German gunboat Hongkong French corvotte 375 Commander Besumont Korsaint Hongkong Captain D. de la Batie 75**0**° French frigate La Victoriouse Hongkong Captain Herbig German corvette Hongkong Captain Rouvier 100 French guaboat Canton Commander C. S. Cotton American gunboat Monocacy Commander Tatarinoff. Russian gunboat Morgo Commander Valrondt Russian gunboat Nerpa Kobe : Lient. Commander Green American gunboat Pales Captain Poliansky Russian corvette Plastoun Captain Skerrett Hongkong American frigate Richmond Vladivestock Commander Boyle Russian gunboat Vladivostock Captain Sidenener Russian transport St. Petersburg Captain von Buchholta Hongkong German corvette Stesch Macac Capt. da Costa Cabral Portuguese gunboat Tamega Commander Hock Singapore Russian gunbeat Cept. T. M. Warlets Hongkong Spanish orniser Velageo Captain Avelan Singapore Russian ornisor Vestnik .. Captain Dewatre Hongkong French cruiser Villars | Commander Molehomsky Russian gunboat Vostock Commander von Raven German gunboat

CANTON GUNBOAT SQUADRON. COMMANDER. STATION. GUNS TONS H.P. FLAG AND RIG. NAME. Hongkong Viceroy's gunboat An lan Honghong 75 J. Stewart Vicercy's gunboat Chian-ta 60 F. Bessurd Hongkong 180 Vicercy's gunboat Ching-teing Loung Yiu Ting Canton . Vicercy's gunboat Hoi-tang-hung Hongkong 562 125 Chow Shoi Peng-chao-hai Revenue craiser Canton 120 40 Lie-ping-tie Vicercy's gunboat Quang-on ... Viceroy's gunboat Yang Yung Lin Hongkong Bon Hang

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